

Circular Letter No. 36 /2021

My No. PGIM/EX/3/CCA (21)
Postgraduate Institute of Medicine,
160, Prof. Nandadasa Kodagoda Mawatha,
Colombo 7.
21st April 2021

To : Director/NHSL,
Directors of Teaching/General Hospitals,
Regional Directors of Health Services,
Deans of Faculties of Medicine/Medical Sciences,
Universities of Peradeniya/Colombo/Jaffna/Ruhuna/Kelaniya/
Sri Jayewardenepura,

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCE IN ANAESTHESIOLOGY EXAMINATION –
APRIL 2021**

1. The above examination will be held on **1st June, 2021.**
2. Applications are invited by me from medical officers possessing the following minimum requirements to sit the above examination.

- (a) successful completion of the MD (Anaesthesiology) Part IA ;
and
- (b) completed a minimum of five (5) years' active experience in
Anaesthesiology by the date of closure of applications, ie **17th
May 2021.**

Note:-

The 5 years of experience in Anaesthesia which should be certified as satisfactory by the Consultant Anaesthetist or by the Chief Administrator of the hospital.

A minimum period of one year should be in Sri Lanka and at least 6 months of it should be under the supervision of a Consultant Anaesthetist. Any period of work abroad should be certified by a Consultant in that hospital and approved by the Board.

3. The prescribed fees for the examination for candidates are as follows:-
 - (a) Registration - Rs. 8,000.00 (Non Refundable)
 - (b) Entry to Examination - Rs. 26,500.00
 - (c) Application fee - Rs. 3 500.00 (Non Refundable)

(Candidates from non-state sector will be charged 50% more of the above listed fees)

Only online payment through the PGIM online portal will be accepted by the PGIM.

4. The application form could be downloaded from our website www.pgim.cmb.ac.lk
5. The examination shall consist of Essay Paper and Viva. The content areas from which the questions are based on is described in the prospectus.
6. The Candidates will have to obtain a minimum (60%) marks in the essay paper and a minimum (60%) marks in the viva to pass the examination.
7. Applications with every cage duly filled should be forwarded through the Head of Department. All candidates should send scan copy of your application after obtaining all the signatures of relevant authorities to exam@pgim.cmb.ac.lk and applicants are recommended to send the hard copy of the application to the Asst. Registrar/Examinations, Postgraduate Institute of Medicine, No. 160, Prof. Nandadasa Kodagoda Mawatha, Colombo 7 on or before **17th May 2021**. If you are unable to send the hard copy of the application, please mention the fact in the same email. Incomplete, handwritten and late applications will not be considered under any circumstances.
8. Please bring the contents of the Circular Letter to the notice of all medical officers concerned in your department/division/faculty.
9. There shall be no repeat or additional examinations which are not scheduled in the approved examination calendar for the year 2021
10. The results will be valid and official after confirmation by the Senate of the University.
11. The candidates will be issued an **“Examination Feedback Form”** with the admission documents. Feedback in Part II should be limited to concerns, if any, regarding the conduct of the examination (eg. perceived biases, discriminatory behaviour, harassment, intimidation) and **NOT** regarding the format or content of the examination. The form should be sent back to Director/PGIM under confidential cover **within 48 hours after conclusion of the examination. No concerns regarding the examination will be entertained after 48 hours of conclusion of the examination or following the release of results** nor will these be investigated by the PGIM.
12. Candidates are requested to visit the PGIM website (www.pgim.cmb.ac.lk) for further updates.

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